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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 3rd May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*Cassia fistula*) barks, on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests, from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1921, in the following taluks, will be sold talukwar or hobliwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer on the 24th May 1919, at the District Forest Office, Kolar :—

Name of taluk	Description of sale	Date of sale	Place of sale	Remarks
1. Kolar 2. Malur 3. Bowringpet 4. Mulbagal 5. Srinivaspur 6. Chintamani 7. Sidlaghatta 8. Chikballapur 9. Bagepalli 10. Gudibanda Sub-Taluk 11. Goribidnur	Talukwar	24th May 1919	Kolar	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal kavals, plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of inam, jodi, kayam gutta, sarvamanya, kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals. *N. B.*—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes of Rs. 100 each. Silver or smaller currency notes will not be accepted. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local and Railway cesses at one anna and six pies per rupee, respectively, on the full sale amount. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of the lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First instalment	....	on 1st October 1919.
Second do	....	on 1st January 1920.
Third do	....	on 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee should be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement :—

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*i*) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests and the sale liable to cancellation.

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 3rd May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke, (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests, from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1921, in the following taluks, will

be sold talukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer, on the 26th May 1919 at the District Forest Office, Tumkur District:—

Taluk	Remarks
1. Tumkur 2. Kunigal 3. Gubbi 4. Chiknayakanhalli 5. Tiptur 6. Sira 7. Pavagada 8. Turuvekere Sub-Taluk 9. Maddagiri 10. Koratagere Sub-Taluk	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of inam, jodi, kayamgutta, sarvamanya, Kandayam, and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals. *N.B.*—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes of Rs. 100 each. Silver or smaller currency notes will not be accepted. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna, and railway cess at 3 pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or one-fourth of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of the lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows:—

First instalment	On 1st October 1919.
Second do	On 1st January 1920.
Third do	On 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee shall be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement:—

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him, for the collection of the bark.

(c) To work out the lease himself, and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(d) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(e) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(f) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(g) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(h) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(i) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

B. VENUGOPALIAH,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE WEST DIVISION.

Notification dated 26th April 1919.

It is notified for general information that the right of collecting tolls at the toll-gate Sunkadakatte, on the Antersante Kymara road, from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1920, will be sold by public auction at Antersante, on 31st May 1919, by the District Forest Officer, or any other officer deputed for the purpose. The sale will be subjected to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

2. The contractors who purchase the right must collect tolls at the rates mentioned in Schedule A, both in-coming and out-going traffic and at no higher rates.

3. The Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

4. The contract amount is payable in twelve equal monthly instalments due on or before the 10th of the following month. The contractor shall pay, as soon as the sale is over, a deposit equal to two months' instalments for the due performance of the contract. The amount in deposit will, if the conditions of the contract are complied with, be credited towards the instalments due for the last two months of the contract.

5. If the deposit is not made immediately after the close of the sale, the contract will be resold at the risk of the approved bidder. If delay is made in the payment of the instalments, interest at one pie per rupee per month will be levied till the date of payment, and the unexpired portion of the contract will also be liable to be sold at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests, and the deficit will be recovered from the contractor, who shall not be entitled to the profits, if any.

6. In addition to the amount bid for, the contractors are, subject to the conditions stated in paras 4 and 5, bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee on the contract amount.

7. The contractors are also bound to keep an account showing the daily collections and it shall be open to inspection by the taluk and district authorities.

8. They shall also be bound to keep true accounts of traffic passing through the gates as specified in para 7, for which purpose they shall bind themselves to maintain at their own cost a resident mutsaddi at the toll-gate.

9. The contractors will have the use of existing toll-houses and gates, and they will be required to keep them in good repair. If any toll-gates or houses are required, they will be put up at Government expense.

10. The contractor should conform generally to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876.

11. Carts laden with bones or other substances for use as manure should be treated as carts unladen and tolled on accordingly.

12. Carriages, carts and animals possessed by a person compounding for a sum to be paid under para 64 of the Local Boards Rules of the 9th September 1903, are exempt from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Order No. 1360-8—L. B. 393-06-2, dated 10th August 1907).

13. Government servants travelling on duty who are certified by their respective immediate superiors as being not entitled to travelling allowances are exempted from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Notification No. J. 1683—Legis. 10-07-4, dated 30th November 1907).

14. No toll shall be paid for the passage of troops or military stores or equipages or of police officers on duty or of any person or property in their custody or of any property *bona fide* belonging to Government as established, where proof is required by the production of a pass or certificate from an officer of the department to which the property belongs, authorised by the Deputy Commissioner or by Government to grant such certificates or passes, which pass or certificate shall be delivered up at the last toll-gate passed before the cart, carriage or animal conveying such property reaches the destination noted in such pass or certificate (*vide* Government Proceedings No. 8776-816—L. B. 78-08-16, dated 21st May 1912). Under Government Notification No. R. 9243-59—L. R. 579-14-4, dated 24th April 1915, the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore is exempted from payment of tolls.

15. Only one toll shall be levied at the toll-gate on any cart, etc., passing along the toll-gate within a period of twenty-four hours, *i.e.*, from sunrise to sunrise.

16. No toll shall be levied for the passages of carriages, carts or animals (*a*) belonging to Local Boards, (*b*) conveying District Fund servants, on duty or property in the custody of such servants, (*c*) licensed by the District Board during the period for which they have been licensed, and (*d*) engaged by the Postal Department to convey mails (*vide* Section 65 of Local Boards Regulations).

17. A table of authorised tolls shall be legibly written in English and Kanarese and shall be put up in a conspicuous place near the toll-gate.

18. The contractors shall execute a stamped mutchalika in respect of the performance of the contract, subject to the conditions specified above.

19. Any breach of the above rules on the part of the contractor or his servants will render the contract liable to cancellation and the deficit in the resale will be recovered from him.

SCHEDULE A.

Traffic.	*Sales.* Rs. a. p.
On every motor car	1 0 0
Four-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 12 0
Do do without passengers	0 6 0
Two-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 8 0
Do do without passengers	0 4 0
Carts, laden	0 4 0
Carts, unladen	0 2 0
Elephants	1 0 0
Camels, laden	0 4 0
Camels, unladen	0 2 0
Horses with rider	0 1 6
Do without rider	0 0 9
Ponies with rider	0 1 6
Do without rider	0 0 9
Bullocks, laden	0 1 0
Do unladen	0 0 6
Asses, laden	0 0 6
Do unladen	0 0 3
Palanquins with two bearers ...	0 2 0
Do with more than two bearers	0 4 0
Sheep, goat or pig	0 0 1

B. V. RAMAIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Auction sale Notification dated 3rd May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tangad (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands an State Forests from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1921, in the following taluks, will be sol

talukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer, on the 31st May 1919 at the District Forest Office, Shimoga.

Taluk	Remarks
1. Shimoga ...	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals.
2. Kumsi Sub-Taluk ...	
3. Chamnagiri ...	
4. Honnali	
5. Tirthahalli	*N. B.*—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P. M., and if it is not concluded on the same day will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes of Rs. 100 each. Silver or smaller currency notes will not be accepted. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess and railway cess at one anna per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing thereform.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows:—

First instalment	on 1st October 1919.
Second do	on 1st January 1920.
Third do	on 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee shall be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement:—

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himsel, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(e) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(f) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of tangadi and kakke bark collected and carted during the month.

(g) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(h) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(i) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or in part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

P. WOOTHIA,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR DIVISION.

AUCTION SALES.

Notification dated 4th May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (*cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*cassia fistula*) barks on all Government unoccupied lands, and the State Forests and Plantations, from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1921, in the undermentioned taluks, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, on the 2nd June 1919, at the District Forest Office, Sagar.

Taluks	Remarks
Sagar Sorab Shikarpur Nagar	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal kavals, plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of inam, jodi, kayamgutta, sarvamanya, kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals. *N.B.*—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M. and, if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of a currency notes of Rs. 100 each. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local and railway cesses at one anna and three pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or $\frac{1}{4}$th of the sale amount whichever is less as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of the lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First instalment Rs:—		on 1st Obtober 1919.
Second	,,	on 1st January 1920.
Third	,,	on 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee shall be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N. B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for land resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement :—

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may brake out accidentally.

(*i*) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

M. A VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Auction Sale Notification dated 4th May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting tangadi (Cassia auriculata) and kakke (Cassia fistula) bark on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests, from 1st July 1919 to 30th June 1921, in the following taluks, will be sold alukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kadur District, on the 4th June 1919, at the District Forest Office, Chikmagalur.

Taluk	Remarks
1. Chikmagalur ...	Includes produce of all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal kavals, Plantations and State Forests, and excludes the produce of inam, jodi, kayamgutta, sarvamanya, kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals.
2. Kadur.	
3. Tarikere.	
4. Narasimharajapura (Sub-Taluk).	
5. Koppa.	
	N. B.—Removal of kakke bark in plantation is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the aluk in which they reside vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the Officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes of Rs. 100 each. Silver or smaller currency notes will not be accepted. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee and a railway cess at 6 pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of the lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows:—

First instalment	... ...	on 1st October 1919.
Second do	... ...	on 1st January 1920.
Third do	... ...	on 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee shall be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

The contractor may, on obtaining permission from the Controller, supply any local tannery in his district, by private arrangement provided that the bark is not sent by rail.

If the contractor fails to work his area to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer, or disposes of any bark contrary to the conditions of the contract, the contract will be liable to be cancelled.

10. Further conditions to be entered in the agreement:—

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself, and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The baked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*i*) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

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CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 3rd May 1919.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting tangadi (Cassia auriculata) and kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests, from 1st July 1919, to 30th June 1921, in the following taluks, will be sold talukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer on the 29th May 1919 at the District Forest Office, Chitaldrug District:—

Taluk	Remarks.
1. Hiriyur, ...	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kaval, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals.
2. Challakere, ...	
3. Holalkere including Garga kaval, Devargudda and Tuppadahalli State Forests.	
4. Davangere including Nirthadi State Forests ...	
5. Molakalmuru	
6. Hosdurga Taluk including Kudurekanve, Janakal, Marikanave and Lakkihalli State Forests.	
7. Jagalur	
8. Chitaldrug including Jogimatti and Bevinahalli State Forests.	
9. Harihar Sub-Taluk including Malebennur State Forest.	

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 200, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes of Rs. 100 each. Silver or smaller currency notes will not be accepted. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit, into the District Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee and Railway cess at 6 pies a rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Conservator of Forests, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 500 or one-fourth of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security for the due fulfilent of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of the lease.

10. The balance of the lease amount shall be paid in three equal instalments as follows:—

First instalment	on 1st October 1919.
Second instalment	on 1st January 1920.
Third instalment	on 1st April 1920.

In default, the sum or sums already paid by the lessee shall be forfeited, his lease cancelled and the right resold.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement:—

(a) To hold himself responsile to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(b) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(c) To work out the lease himself, and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(d) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(e) To keep account showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

(f) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke bark collected and carted during the month.

(g) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(h) To prevent the occurrence of fires in forests in which he may be working and to render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(i) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1921, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

11. To cut the trees flush with ground. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

B. HEERASINGH,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

PALACE MARAMATH DEPARTMENT.

Mysore dated 3rd May 1919.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Executive Engineer, Palace Maramath Division, Mysore, up to 29th May 1919, 4 P.M., for constructing Guest Block in Summer Palace, Mysore. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of December 1919.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's Office at new Mothikhan building, Mysore, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees two hundred in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for Constructing Guest Block in Summer Palace, Mysore," in default of which, tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Huzur Secretary to the H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond; in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled, and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted will be posted on the notice board in the Executive Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.